

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

God Be With You.

God be with you till we meet again,
By His Counsel guide, uphold you,
With His sheep securely fold you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
Nenth his wings protecting hide you,
Daily manna still provide you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
When life's perils thick confound you,
Put His arms unfailing round you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
Keep love's banner floating o'er you,
Smite death's threatening wave before you,
God be with you till we meet again.

WEDDINGS OF THE WEEK.

Bryan-Werne.

One of the most beautiful of Easter weddings took place Tuesday afternoon, April 17th, at five o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Miles Turpin, No. 2019 Ivy Avenue, when her sister, Miss Susanne, daughter of Mr. Henry S. Werne, of Louisville, Ky., became the bride of Mr. Velney Howard Bryan, of Louisville, Ky. The Rev. Dr. John H. Hall, of the Church of the Holy Comforter, officiated.

The lower floor of Mrs. Turpin's home was canvased in white and palms and Easter lilies formed a background for the improvised altar.

Miss Mary Field Werne, sister of the bride, was her only attendant, and Mr. George Bryan, of Norfolk, Va., acted as best man to the groom. The bride entered with her father, Mr. Henry S. Werne, by whom she was given away. She wore a beautiful creation of white crepe de chine with trimmings of real lace, and tulle veil. Her bridal bouquet was of white sweet peas.

Her sister wore a princess gown of pink crepe de chine and carried a France roses.

Among those who attended the wedding from a distance were: Mrs. Henry P. Field, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Edwin Charles French, sister of the bride, from El Paso, Tex.; Mr. Joseph A. Werne, of Louisville, Ky.; Mr. Joseph C. Gild, of Nashville, Tenn.; Mr. William Little, of Raleigh, N. C.; Mr. George Bryan, of Norfolk, Va.

Grinnan-Dabney.

The wedding of Miss Susan Fitzhugh Dabney, daughter of Mr. William Cecil Dabney, to Dr. St. George Tucker Grinnan, of this city, will be celebrated at 10:30 o'clock this forenoon in the University of Virginia Chapel.

Dr. Grinnan is closely related to Mr. Joseph Bryan's family. He is a brother of Judge Daniel C. Grinnan, and the marriage is of interest to a large Richmond connection.

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

Easter at University.

Richmond girls enjoying the festivities of Easter week at the University of Virginia, where the "Areadians" will play "The Conspirators," and games will be given by the University Club, the Ell Bannan and Tika, the local societies and the local chapter of Beta Theta Pi, are Miss Ava Grant, Miss Brent Witt, Miss Nancy Waddill, Miss Josephine Sullivan and Miss Frances Holston.

Miss Elizabeth Hotchkiss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hotchkiss, has a charming country home near the University. Miss Helen Stevens also has a country place in Albemarle, and is a delightful hostess, as those who visited "Glenyside" can testify. Young ladies from other localities who will be at the University for Easter, will include Miss Alice Lard, of St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Nellie Tabby, of Baltimore; Miss Frances Duganbower, of Alexandria, Va.; Miss Flora Mason, of Fredericksburg; Miss Elise Funster, daughter of Bishop Funch, of Idaho; Miss Lela Hobson, Miss Fannie Grandy and Miss Katherine News, of Norfolk, Va.; Miss Nellie and Miss Sarah Hamilton, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, of Petersburg; Miss Eleanor Conrad, of Winchester; Misses Mary and Anne Kelley, of Boston, Mass.; and Miss Rose Herford, of New York, N. Y.

Birth Party.

Master William Robertson Capers entertained charmingly yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 195 West Avenue, in honor of his ninth birthday. Shaded lamps and jonquils were attractively used to decorate, and in the dining-room Easter souvenirs of eggs, chickens and rabbits, together with yellow-shaded candles, trimmed the dainty birthday table. A

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No. 806.

LONGING.

By CARMEN SYLVA (ELIZABETH, QUEEN OF ROUMANIA).

Pauline Elizabeth Otilia Louise, Queen of Roumania, known in the literary world as Carmen Sylva, was born December 24th, 1857. She devoted much attention to Roumanian educational facilities and the development of Roumanian industries, and after 1880 published several volumes of poetry.

I long to feel thy little arm's embrace,
Thy little silver-sounding voice to hear;
I long for thy warm kisses on my face,
And for thy bird-like carol, blithe and clear.

I long for every childish, loving word;
And for thy little footsteps, fairy light,
That blither, thither moved, and ever stirred
My heart with them to gladness infinite.

And for thy hair I long—that halo blest,
Hanging in golden glory round thy brow.
My child, can nought such longing lull to rest?
Nay, heaven's bliss alone can end it now.

This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, Oct. 11, 1903. One is published each day.

Miss Louise McAdams.

The Rev. Dr. James Fewer Smith will deliver the annual sermon before the cadets of the Virginia Military Institute at the commencement exercises in June.

Miss Baskerville has returned from a visit to Miss Mabel Wing, in Ghent, Norfolk.

Mrs. Thorne, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Cawthorne, in Norfolk.

Miss Kate Puller spent Saturday and Sunday in Fredericksburg as the guest of Mrs. Alvin Rowe.

Judge Edmund Waddill has gone to Norfolk on legal business.

Mr. A. B. Botts, of Fredericksburg, is in the city to attend a meeting of the Royal Arcanum.

Mr. Cyrus Creighton, of Staunton, is in the city for a short stay.

Mrs. Ellen Williams is the guest of friends in Fredericksburg.

Miss Josephine Clarke, of Norfolk, is the guest of her grandfather, Mr. Glasgow, of No. 1 West Main Street.

Dr. Albert Lefebvre, of the University of Virginia, will leave in a few days for Austin, Texas, where he will represent the University at the installation of President Houston at the University of Texas.

Mr. William Crismond, of Fredericksburg, who is a student at Richmond College, is ill at Virginia Hospital.

Dr. William Draper Lewis, dean of the University of Pennsylvania Law School, an educator of national reputation, and Professor Mikel, also of the law faculty at Pennsylvania, have been visiting at the University of Virginia for the past few days.

Madame Helene Modjeska, who has been playing Schiller's "Marie Stuart" in Norfolk, has been much entertained

while there. She was on Monday afternoon the guest of the Woman's Club at their weekly reception, and on Sunday she and her husband, Count Modjeska, were entertained on board the yacht "Richmond" by Captain Louis Paul Rennick, United States navy.

Mrs. A. G. Anthony and children are the guests of Mrs. Medora Bowling, in Fredericksburg.

Miss Hazel Grimes, of Brambleton, is the guest of friends in Richmond.

Mrs. Maxwell Burton has returned to her home at Holly Corners, Va., after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Oliver C. Schofield, of this city.

Dr. S. P. Hite, of Staunton, is in the city for medical treatment.

Miss Lelia Courland and Miss Mabel Phippen, of this city, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wolf, of West Point, Va.

Miss Caroline Kidd is the guest of Miss Sallie Doherty, in Petersburg.

Miss Warwick, who has been the guest of Mrs. B. G. Rogers, in Newport News, has returned home.

Mrs. Elvira Gordon, of Lynchburg, is the guest of Mrs. William S. Gordon, in this city.

Miss Rose Engle, who has been the guest of friends here, has returned to her home in Newport News.

The Misses McIlwain, who have been spending several days in Richmond, have returned to their home in Petersburg.

Miss Julia Montgomery, of Staunton, is the guest of friends here.

Mrs. John D. Horsley and Mrs. Don P. Halsey, of Lynchburg, have gone to Washington to attend the convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The Rev. Dr. W. N. Scott, of Staunton, is in the city to assist in a revival at the Third Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. W. A. Huddleston, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to Baltimore.

The Rev. G. E. B. Smith, of Isle of Wight county, Va., was in the city yesterday.

The Rev. Dr. E. B. McClure has returned from Norfolk, where he attended the session of the Norfolk Presbytery.

Miss Amelia James is the guest of friends in Norfolk.

Mrs. G. G. Gooch, of Staunton, is in Richmond for treatment.

Mr. George Hutchinson, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hutchinson, in Staunton, has returned to Richmond.

Miss Branch Blinford leaves to-day for Newport News, to attend the State Sunday School Convention, which opens to-night.

Miss M. F. Parkinson, lady principal of Hollins Institute, Va., will go abroad in June, to spend some months in Italy, Switzerland, Germany, France and England. She will be accompanied in her tour by the Misses Carpenter, of Clifton Forge, Va.

Mrs. Sallie Woods, of Charlottesville, Va., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Garrett Nelson, in Richmond.

Mrs. Eckols and Miss Jane Eckols are visiting Mrs. W. T. Tucker, in Court Street, Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. W. J. Johnson is the guest of friends in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. E. Victoria Williams and her niece, Miss Bessie Tower, who have been spending some time at Hotel Warwick, Newport News, will return to Richmond in a few days.

Mrs. George S. Holmes, president of the Jefferson Davis Monument Association, of Charleston, S. C., will go to New Orleans and, as president of her association, invite the Confederate Veterans' Reunion to the unveiling of the Davis Memorial. Mrs. W. J. Bohan, president of the Confederate Memorial Association, is a director of the Davis Monument Association. Mrs. Edgemoor Taylor, treasurer of the association, will be the bearer of an invitation from Richmond Chapter, U. D. C.

The Rebekah Peterkin Circle of King's Daughters will give a dainty luncheon and silver tea at the home of Mrs. George T. King, No. 81 West Grove Street, Friday, April 20th, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

LEE DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Phillips, of No. 2013 Park Avenue, gave a delightful birthday party at their home, No. 410 West Grove Street, Friday, April 14th, to celebrate the birthday of their daughter, Della. Games were indulged in and beautiful music rendered by Mrs. Louis F. Meyer. Mrs. Phillips was assisted in entertaining the children by Mrs. Alonzo L. Phillips.

Those present were: Odessa Bruner, Edna Bauer, Edith Phillips, Mary and Annie Dorell, Frieda and Norma Dietz, Nellie Phillips, Rebecca Frost, Florence Fordham, Curtis Thompson, James McGraw, Margaret and Elizabeth Phillips, John Bauer, Mason and Stuart Phillips.

Mrs. Mary W. Thompson and her grandson, Master Irving Thompson, returned to their home in Richmond Saturday evening from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin M. Tyler, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. James McGraw, Jr., and son, James, left Thursday afternoon on a two weeks' trip to Baltimore and Arlington, Va., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin M. Tyler, in Washington, D. C.

Miss Susie Allen, of the Southern Female College, Petersburg, Va., came to Richmond Thursday to spend Easter with her cousin, Mrs. N. B. Johnson, No. 207 North Richmond Street.

Mrs. Catherine M. Anderson is now convalescing after a spell of sickness.

Mrs. J. J. Anderson, of Hadenaville, Va., has returned to her home, after visiting Mrs. C. M. Anderson, on Grove Avenue.

Rev. C. H. McGhee left Tuesday for Charlottesville, Va., to assist Rev. George Booker in a meeting. Mr. McGhee will be absent about ten days.

Master Frederick Guggenheimer is sick at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Guggenheimer, No. 211 West Avenue.

Mr. Vernon L. Epps, of Shelby, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Anderson, on Grove Avenue.

Mrs. Thomas L. Anderson has returned home after an extended visit to her relatives in Knoxville, Tenn.

After a four weeks' visit to New York and Atlantic City, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coleman are at home again.

Miss Helen Pligbrun has returned from New York.

Miss Annie Wright, of Chula, Va., is visiting Mrs. P. C. Christian, No. 308 Park Street.

of Chestnut Hill, has returned to her home in Richmond.

Miss Jessie Marshall, of Chestnut Hill, is now able to be out after a little spell of sickness.

Miss Marie Timberlake, has returned home after a pleasant visit to her friend, Miss Bessie Hardaway, of Richmond. Miss Lottie Lacey has returned to her home in Richmond, after visiting relatives on the Hill.

The Darnest Workers' Society held its regular monthly meeting Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Darnest, of Highland Park Public School, week ending April 6, 1906. Teachers, Miss Emma Smith, Miss Mary A. Smith, Miss Marshall, Bessie Carter, Roy Cross, Maude Tiller, Emily Cross, Bessie Battelle, Alma Vaughan, Elizabeth Bowman, Irene Dunn, Irene Fitzhugh, Marie Todd, Fannie Gray, Keeling Blanton, Lynn Enslow, Teacher, Miss Annie Hines, Fifth Grammar Grade—Louis Battelle, Harold Wilder, Clifford Ritchie, Charlie Cross, Teacher, Miss Emma Smith, Miss Mary A. Smith, Miss Marshall, Bessie Carter, Roy Cross, Maude Tiller, Emily Cross, Bessie Battelle, Alma Vaughan, Elizabeth Bowman, Irene Dunn, Irene Fitzhugh, Marie Todd, Fannie Gray, Keeling Blanton, Lynn Enslow, Teacher, Miss Annie Hines, Fifth Grammar Grade—Louis Battelle, Harold Wilder, Clifford Ritchie, Charlie Cross, Teacher, Miss Emma Smith, Miss Mary A. Smith, Miss Marshall, Bessie Carter, Roy Cross, Maude Tiller, Emily Cross, Bessie Battelle, Alma Vaughan, Elizabeth Bowman, Irene Dunn, Irene Fitzhugh, Marie Todd, Fannie Gray, Keeling Blanton, Lynn Enslow, Teacher, Miss Annie Hines, Sixth Primary Grade—Alma Vaughan, James Hensie, Rufus Quarles, Harold Battelle, Robert Parrish, Harvie Dwyer, Helen Wilder, Frank Nelson, William Knox, Jessie Taylor.

Fourth Primary Grade—Fifth Ward, Fannie Sale, Margarette Battelle, Precious Brown, Alvin Nelson, Landon Harrison, Bessie Cross, John Sullivan, Mary Lee, Thomas Battelle, Clinton Peers, Cora Linn Woods.

MECHANICSVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Laura Goodall is able to be out again after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. C. O. Brown and children, of Wood Street, left Tuesday for Charlottesville, where they will visit relatives and friends before leaving for Spencer, N. C., where she will join her husband.

Mr. Pierce Mahanes is able to be out again after a severe spell of illness. Master Hunter Sead is somewhat improved after an attack of bilious fever.

Miss Julia Chisnall and little son, Percy, are at home again after a pleasant stay with friends at New Bridge.

Miss Florence Sawyer, of the Pike, who has been ill for several weeks, is slightly better to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Slaughter, of New Bridge, returned home after a pleasant stay with Mrs. Laura Goodall, of Petersburg.

Mrs. Ada Allen, who has been seriously ill for some time, is greatly improved.

Mrs. Annie Pierce is able to be out again after an indisposition of several days.

Mr. Edie Carter, who suffered so much during the past week with his arm from the effects of being vaccinated, is better to-day.

Miss Fanny Slaughter is home again after spending Easter with relatives in Petersburg.

Mr. Robert Jeter, of Henrico county, is visiting friends on the Pike.

Mrs. Willie Chisnall has returned home after spending Easter with her friend, Mrs. John Goley, of the Pike.

Miss Josie Koplar, of Bolling Green Road, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. R. Hook, of Baltimore.

Mrs. T. B. Martin, of the Pike, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Blake, of Hanover county.

Mr. Sam England, of Chelsea Hill, is in Pittsburgh, Pa., on a business trip for the American Locomotive Works.

Mr. Charles Denton has returned to her home in Goodland county after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Walton, of Chelsea Hill.

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CAPITAL.
Amount of capital paid up in cash \$500,000 00
Amount of net ledger assets, December 31st of previous year 15,051,113 92

INCOME.
Steam Boiler \$261,450 82
Gross premiums written and renewed during the year 1,425,630 68
Total \$1,687,081 50
Deduct gross premiums in course of collection at this date 395,696 87

Entire premiums collected during the year \$1,291,384 63
Deduct reinsurance, cancellations and return premiums 157,723 37

Net cash actually received for premiums \$1,133,661 26
Interest on loans on mortgages \$22,150 76
Interest and dividends on stocks and bonds 3,362 01
Rents 859 40

Total interest and rents 145,159 97
Profit on sale or maturity of ledger assets (first item) 15,153 81
Special inspections and expert mechanical service 11,415,473 26

Total income actually received during the year, in cash \$14,496,766 88

Aggregate lost balance and income \$14,496,766 88

DISBURSEMENTS.

Gross amount paid for losses \$55,425 51
Not paid policyholders 60,000 00
To stockholders for interest or dividends 280,213 11
Commission or brokerage 12,150 00
Salaries, fees and all other compensation of officers and home employees 156,242 44
Salaries, traveling and all other expenses not paid by commission 461,553 50
Inspection (other than medical) 900 24
Repairs and expenses (other than medical) 105 61
Taxes on real estate 41,474 53
All other taxes, licenses and insurance department fees 674 91
Legal expenses (not included above) 5,839 13
Advertising 17,867 79
Printing and stationery 11,105 87
Postage and express 2,704 43
Furniture and fixtures 5,181 50
On sale or maturity of securities 1,168,979 28

Total disbursements \$1,168,979 28

Balance \$1,327,787 60

Assets.
Book value of real estate, unencumbered \$114,000 00
Loans on mortgages on real estate (first item) 952,646 00
Market value of bonds and stocks owned absolutely 2,367,081 00
Cash in company's office 122,378 14
Cash deposited in banks 24,052 68
Interest secured on mortgages 201,827 69
Gross premiums in course of collection on policies and renewals issued October 1, 1906 12,658,146 50

Total \$13,658,146 50

LIABILITIES.
In Process Adjustment \$3,614 54

Losses and claims paid steam boiler \$54,811 24

Aggregate of unpaid claims and expenses \$54,811 24
Gross premiums (less reinsurance) upon all Unexpired risks, running one year or less from date of policy \$32,545 91
Steam boiler, \$55,091 83; unexpired portion (50 per cent.) \$26,272 91
Gross premiums (less reinsurance) upon all Unexpired risks, running more than one year from date of policy 1,819,142 45
Steam boiler, \$3,820,029 83; unexpired premium (pro rata) \$1,851,709 39
Total unearned premiums, as computed above 40,552 64
Commission, brokerage, etc. 5,181 50

Total amount of all liabilities, except capital \$1,926,650 91

Total amount of all liabilities, including capital \$13,658,146 50

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